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METHODS FOR TREATING ISCHEMIC DISORDER AND IMPROVING STROKE OUTCOME

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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35. United States Code, Section 120 of any United States Application(s), or Section 365(c) of any PCT International Application(s) designating the United States Application(s), or Section 365(c) of any PCT International Application(s) designating the United States listed below. Insofar as this application discloses and claims subject matter in addition to that disclosed listed below. Insofar as this application discloses and claims subject matter in addition to that disclosed in any such prior Application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35. United States in any such prior Application (code, Section 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the United States Patent and Trademark Office all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56, which became available between the filing date(s) of such prior Application(s) and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

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and each of them, all c/o Cooper & Dunham LLP. 1185 Avenue of the Americas, New York, New York 10036, my attorneys, each with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute this application, to make alterations and amendments therein, to receive the patent, to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith and to file any International Applications which are based thereon under the provisions of the Patent Cooperation Treaty.

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Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT TO THE ACCOMPANYING CONTINUATION APPLICATION FILED UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.53

Applicants request that the following amendment be made in the above-identified application:

In the Specification:

On page 1, after the title and before line 5, please delete the paragraph and insert the following new sentence:

--This application is a continuation of PCT International Application No. PCT/US99/07175, filed 1 April 1999, designating the United States of America, which is claiming the priority of U.S. Serial No. 09/053,871, filed April 1, 1998, the contents of which are hereby incorporated by reference into the present application.--

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REMARKS

This application is a continuation of PCT International Application No. PCT/US99/07175, filed 1 April 1999, designating the United States of America and claiming priority of U.S. Serial No. 09/053,871, filed April 1, 1998. Accordingly, the parent application, PCT International Application No. PCT/US99/07175, is pending today in the United States of America pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §363, and the subject continuation application is copending therewith in fulfillment of the provisions of 35 U.S.C. §120.

By this Preliminary Amendment, applicants have hereinabove amended the specification on page 1 to insert the continuation data. Applicants maintain that the amendments to the specification present no issue of new matter and are fully supported by the specification. Applicants have amended the specification to recite the continuing data for the above-identified application.

Claims 1-32 were pending in the subject application. Accordingly, upon entry of this Amendment, claims 1-32 will be pending and under examination.

If a telephone interview would be of assistance in advancing prosecution of the subject application, applicants' undersigned attorney invites the Examiner to telephone at the number provided below.

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No fee other than the filing fee of \$826.00 is deemed necessary in connection with this Preliminary Amendment. However, if any other fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of such fee to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

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